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"BINREAD"
Elementary Disassembler

Requirements: 4 K PDP-8 series computer with ASR-33.

Functions: Disassembles binary object tapes, giving an octal listing of all field and address codes, and of the data/instructions which follow them. Data are arranged in 8-line paragraphs, facilitating address counting. The format is familiar and legible; the execution is rapid. In addition, certain errors are checked for; if found, the computer halts after typing ? . The tape checksum is read and printed out; it is followed by a computed checksum which should agree with it. The routine may be restarted by pressing "Continue" after any halt, whether one caused by an error on the binary tape or one caused by reaching trailer code.

ASCII between rubouts (Pass 2 diagnostics from an assembler) do not cause a halt, but they are printed out in full for the user's information. Since a restart after an erroneous code greater than 300 (e.g., alphabetic letters) gives unpredictable results, such characters are printed before the error halt.

Core Required: Locations 4000 to 4310 in any field, for those using the PDP-8/E. Users of the 8/I, 8/L, etc., should read in the binary patch at the end of the main tape; this will take additional core, namely locations 4311-4321.

Procedure: Load Binread into core (any field) with the binary loader. Place tape to be disassembled into the low speed reader, loading it on its leader code (200); turn reader on (TTY should be on "Line"); load address 4000 and start.

Use in One-Field Machines: This routine does not overlay PAL-III, FOCAL (1969), Symbolic Editor, etc., though it does overlay their storage areas. With Editor and FOCAL it might be advisable to erase this area ("K" and "E A" commands, respectively) before loading Binread.

Execution Time: About 50 sec. to disassemble the binary of the 8/I patch (see last page of listing).

Disadvantages: No attempt is made to give the PAL-III mnemonics for binary tape codes. This is always a bit risky, even for the most elaborate disassembly routines, since 7200 might be (a) CLA (b) the number 7200 = -600 (c) a pointer address (d) several of these at once.

Advantages: Loads quickly, takes little core, executes quickly; checks for a number of errors, including erroneous checksum.

/DISASSEMBLY OF A BINARY TAPE (NO BAD PUNCHES):

*0200

F 0 /FIELD 0 (PS.--OP.)

*0200

*7600

6201

7300

1611

IR XXXX AT YYYY /ASCII BETWN. RUBOUTS (E.G., DIAGNOSTICS)

6211

3611

2211

5200

6203

/8-LINE PARAGRAPHS, HENCE

7402

/...THIS MUST BE IN LOCN. 7610

7612

1351

/TAPE CHECKSUM PUNCH

1351CK

/COMPUTED CHECKSUM, SHOULD AGREE

/A BAD BINARY TAPE:

*0200

F 0

*0200

*7600

76200

/((COMPUTER HALTED). 1ST FRAME OK, 2ND BAD

7300

1611

6211

? 0011 /1ST FRAME BAD, 2ND OK

2211

5200

6203

7402

A?

/CODE 301. FRAME COUNT FROM HERE ON IS WRONG,

1213

1351CK /...WHICH CAUSES THE EXTRA SPACES HERE.

/TWO ADDRESS CODES IN A ROW CAUSE A DOUBLE ASTERISK ("**"), BUT
/NO HALT. BOTH FRAME COUNT AND CHECKSUM WILL BE WRONG.

/OTHER ERRORS CAN BE DETECTED ONLY IN THE CHECKSUM.

/ "BINREAD"
 /OCTAL DUMP FROM BINARY TAPE;
 /CHECKS FOR ILLEGAL CODES
 /OR ERRONEOUS CHECKSUM.

/FOR PDP-8/E; PATCH CONVERTS 8/E CODES TO 8/I.

*4000

BSW=7002
 MQA=7501
 MQL=7421
 SPF=6040

| | | | | |
|------|------|---------|---------------|-------------------------------|
| 4000 | 6032 | | KCC | |
| 4001 | 6040 | | SPF | |
| 4002 | 3255 | | DCA FLAG | |
| 4003 | 3320 | | DCA CKSUM | |
| 4004 | 3315 | | DCA ADRCTR | |
| 4005 | 4342 | START, | JMS CRLF | |
| 4006 | 4661 | CONTIN, | JMS I PROUTIN | |
| 4007 | 7002 | | BSW | |
| 4010 | 7421 | | MQL | |
| 4011 | 4322 | NEXT, | JMS SPC4 | |
| 4012 | 4661 | | JMS I PROUTIN | |
| 4013 | 7501 | | MQA | |
| 4014 | 3256 | | DCA PREV | |
| 4015 | 1256 | | TAD PREV | /USED FOR CKSUM AT END |
| 4016 | 4351 | | JMS OCTP | |
| 4017 | 2315 | | ISZ ADRCTR | |
| 4020 | 1315 | | TAD ADRCTR | |
| 4021 | 0260 | K260, | AND K7 | |
| 4022 | 7650 | | SNA CLA | |
| 4023 | 4342 | | JMS CRLF | /8-LINE PARAGRAPHS |
| 4024 | 5205 | | JMP START | |
| 4025 | 7421 | FLD, | MQL | |
| 4026 | 7501 | | MQA | |
| 4027 | 0260 | | AND K7 | |
| 4030 | 7650 | | SNA CLA | /FIELD PS.-OP. MUST END IN 0 |
| 4031 | 5241 | | JMP OKAY | /IT DOES: SKIP ERROR ROUTINE |
| 4032 | 7501 | | MQA | /IT DOESN'T: TYPE ASCII & HLT |
| 4033 | 1257 | | TAD K300 | |
| 4034 | 4334 | | JMS TYPE | |
| 4035 | 1262 | | TAD QUEST | |
| 4036 | 4334 | | JMS TYPE | |
| 4037 | 7402 | | HLT | /LET USER MARK BAD FRAME |
| 4040 | 5205 | | JMP START | |
| 4041 | 1254 | OKAY, | TAD F | |
| 4042 | 4334 | | JMS TYPE | |
| 4043 | 1332 | | TAD SPACE | |
| 4044 | 4334 | | JMS TYPE | |
| 4045 | 7501 | | MQA | |
| 4046 | 7112 | | CLL RTR | |
| 4047 | 7010 | | RAR | |
| 4050 | 0260 | | AND K7 | |
| 4051 | 1221 | | TAD K260 | |
| 4052 | 4334 | | JMS TYPE | |
| 4053 | 5205 | | JMP START | |

| | | | | |
|------|------|---------|--------------|---|
| 4054 | 0306 | F, | 306 | |
| 4055 | 0000 | FLAG, | 0 | |
| 4056 | 0000 | PREV, | 0 | |
| 4057 | 0300 | K300, | 300 | |
| 4060 | 0007 | K7, | 7 | |
| 4061 | 4200 | PROUT1, | 4200 | |
| 4062 | 0277 | QUEST, | 277 | |
| 4063 | 2255 | TRAILR, | ISZ FLAG | /LEADER OR TRAILER? |
| 4064 | 5206 | | JMP CONTIN | /LEADER, IGNORE |
| 4065 | 4322 | | JMS SPC4 | /TRAILER, DO CHECKSUMS |
| 4066 | 5716 | | JMP I PFINIS | /CORRECT CHECKSUM |
| 4067 | 4351 | | JMS OCTP | |
| 4070 | 1317 | | TAD C | |
| 4071 | 4334 | | JMS TYPE | |
| 4072 | 1307 | | TAD K | |
| 4073 | 4334 | | JMS TYPE | |
| 4074 | 4342 | | JMS CRLF | |
| 4075 | 7402 | | HLT | /CHECKSUM (COMPUTED) IS LAST LINE /OF LISTING; CHECKSUM (PUNCHED) IS /THE LINE ABOVE. |
| 4076 | 5202 | | JMP 4002 | /RESTART BY "CONTINUE" |
| 4077 | 1321 | ADRS, | TAD K100 | |
| 4100 | 7421 | | MQL | |
| 4101 | 1314 | | TAD ASTER | |
| 4102 | 4334 | | JMS TYPE | |
| 4103 | 7501 | | MQA | |
| 4104 | 1320 | | TAD CKSUM | |
| 4105 | 3320 | | DCA CKSUM | |
| 4106 | 7501 | | MQA | |
| 4107 | 0313 | K, | AND K77 | |
| 4110 | 7002 | | BSW | |
| 4111 | 7421 | | MQL | |
| 4112 | 5212 | LF, | JMP NEXT+1 | |
| 4113 | 0077 | K77, | 77 | |
| 4114 | 0252 | ASTER, | 252 | |
| 4115 | 0000 | ADRCTR, | 0 | |
| 4116 | 4251 | PFINIS, | FINIS | |
| 4117 | 0303 | C, | 303 | |
| 4120 | 0000 | CKSUM, | 0 | |
| 4121 | 0100 | K100, | 100 | |
| 4122 | 0000 | SPC4, | 0 | |
| 4123 | 1333 | | TAD M4 | |
| 4124 | 3342 | | DCA CRLF | /KEEPS COUNT |
| 4125 | 1332 | | TAD SPACE | |
| 4126 | 4334 | | JMS TYPE | |
| 4127 | 2342 | | ISZ CRLF | |
| 4130 | 5325 | | JMP .-3 | |
| 4131 | 5722 | | JMP I SPC4 | |
| 4132 | 0240 | SPACE, | 240 | |
| 4133 | 7774 | M4, | -4 | |

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|------|------|---------|------------|
| 4134 | 0000 | TYPE, | Ø |
| 4135 | 6041 | | TSF |
| 4136 | 5335 | | JMP .-1 |
| 4137 | 6046 | | TLS |
| 4140 | 7200 | | CLA |
| 4141 | 5734 | | JMP I TYPE |
| 4142 | 0000 | CRLF, | Ø |
| 4143 | 1350 | | TAD RETRN |
| 4144 | 4334 | | JMS TYPE |
| 4145 | 1312 | | TAD LF |
| 4146 | 4334 | | JMS TYPE |
| 4147 | 5742 | | JMP I CRLF |
| | | | |
| 4150 | 0215 | RETRN, | 215 |
| | | | |
| 4151 | 0000 | OCTP, | Ø |
| 4152 | 7421 | | MQL |
| 4153 | 7040 | | CMA |
| 4154 | 3255 | | DCA FLAG |
| 4155 | 1333 | | TAD M4 |
| 4156 | 3342 | | DCA CRLF |
| 4157 | 7501 | | MQA |
| 4160 | 7104 | | CLL RAL |
| 4161 | 7004 | ROTATE, | RAL |
| 4162 | 7006 | | RTL |
| 4163 | 7421 | | MQL |
| 4164 | 7501 | | MQA |
| 4165 | 0260 | | AND K7 |
| 4166 | 1221 | | TAD K260 |
| 4167 | 4334 | | JMS TYPE |
| 4170 | 7501 | | MQA |
| 4171 | 2342 | | ISZ CRLF |
| 4172 | 5361 | | JMP ROTATE |
| 4173 | 7200 | | CLA |
| 4174 | 5751 | | JMP I OCTP |

/NEXT DIGIT
/ALL DONE; EXIT

/INPUT ROUTINE; SECOND CORE PAGE OF "BINREAD"

*4200

| | | | |
|------|------|---------|----------------|
| 4200 | 0000 | ROUTIN, | Ø |
| 4201 | 6031 | | KSF |
| 4202 | 5201 | | JMP .-1 |
| 4203 | 6036 | | KRB |
| 4204 | 1302 | | TAD MRBT |
| 4205 | 7450 | | SNA |
| 4206 | 5236 | | JMP ASCII |
| 4207 | 1305 | | TAD NO77 |
| 4210 | 7500 | | SMA |
| 4211 | 5676 | | JMP I ADFLD |
| 4212 | 1306 | | TAD NO100 |
| 4213 | 7450 | | SNA |
| 4214 | 5700 | | JMP I ADTRAILR |
| 4215 | 7510 | | SPA |
| 4216 | 5224 | | JMP NORMAL |
| 4217 | 7200 | | CLA |
| | | | |
| 4220 | 1307 | | TAD QUESTN |
| 4221 | 4701 | | JMS I ADTYPE |
| 4222 | 7402 | | HLT |
| 4223 | 5600 | | JMP I ROUTIN |

/RUBOUT?

/YES, PRBLY. PAL DIAGNOSTICS
/(AC) NOW = FRAME-300

/200<CODE<300: BAD PUNCH
/BAD HALF OF WORD CLEARED

/EXAMINE TAPE; PRESS CONTINUE

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|------|------|---------|--------------|----------------------------------|
| 4224 | 1306 | NORMAL, | TAD NO100 | |
| 4225 | 7500 | | SMA | |
| 4226 | 5265 | | JMP ADDRES | |
| 4227 | 1306 | | TAD NO100 | /CODE<100: DATA |
| 4230 | 3310 | | DCA TEMP | |
| 4231 | 1310 | | TAD TEMP | |
| 4232 | 1674 | | TAD I ADCKSM | |
| 4233 | 3674 | | DCA I ADCKSM | |
| 4234 | 1310 | | TAD TEMP | |
| 4235 | 5600 | | JMP I ROUTIN | |
| 4236 | 6031 | ASCII, | KSF | |
| 4237 | 5236 | | JMP .-1 | |
| 4240 | 6036 | | KRB | |
| 4241 | 1302 | | TAD MRBT | |
| 4242 | 7440 | | SZA | |
| 4243 | 5246 | | JMP .+3 | |
| 4244 | 4675 | | JMS I ADCRLF | |
| 4245 | 5201 | | JMP ROUTIN+1 | |
| 4246 | 1304 | | TAD RBT | |
| 4247 | 4701 | | JMS I ADTYPE | /ASCII BETWEEN RUBOUTS TYPED OUT |
| 4250 | 5236 | | JMP ASCII | /LOOP UNTIL NEXT RUBOUT |
| 4251 | 1677 | FINIS, | TAD I ADPREV | /TAPE CKSUM |
| 4252 | 7002 | | BSW | |
| 4253 | 0305 | | AND NO77 | |
| 4254 | 7041 | | CIA | |
| 4255 | 1674 | | TAD I ADCKSM | |
| 4256 | 3674 | | DCA I ADCKSM | |
| 4257 | 1677 | | TAD I ADPREV | |
| 4260 | 0305 | | AND NO77 | |
| 4261 | 7041 | | CIA | |
| 4262 | 1674 | | TAD I ADCKSM | |
| 4263 | 5664 | | JMP I .+1 | /CKSUM NOW CORRECTED |
| 4264 | 4067 | | TRAILR+4 | |
| 4265 | 3310 | ADDRES, | DCA TEMP | |
| 4266 | 1303 | | TAD M11 | |
| 4267 | 3672 | | DCA I ADADCT | |
| 4270 | 1310 | | TAD TEMP | |
| 4271 | 5673 | | JMP I ADADRS | /ADRCRTR NOW = -9 |
| 4272 | 4115 | ADADCT, | ADRCRTR | |
| 4273 | 4077 | ADADRS, | ADRS | |
| 4274 | 4120 | ADCKSM, | CKSUM | |
| 4275 | 4142 | ADCRLF, | CRLF | |
| 4276 | 4025 | ADFLD, | FLD | |
| 4277 | 4056 | ADPREV, | PREV | |
| 4300 | 4063 | ADTRAI, | TRAILR | |
| 4301 | 4134 | ADTYPE, | TYPE | |
| 4302 | 7401 | MRBT, | -377 | |
| 4303 | 7767 | M11, | -11 | |
| 4304 | 0377 | RBT, | 377 | |
| 4305 | 0077 | NO77, | 77 | |
| 4306 | 0100 | NO100, | 100 | |
| 4307 | 0277 | QUESTN, | 277 | |
| 4310 | 0000 | TEMP, | 0 | |

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| ADADCT | 4272 |
| ADADRS | 4273 |
| ADCKSM | 4274 |
| ADCRLF | 4275 |
| ADDRES | 4265 |
| ADFLD | 4276 |
| ADPREV | 4277 |
| ADRCTR | 4115 |
| ADRS | 4077 |
| ADTRAI | 4300 |
| ADTYPE | 4301 |
| ASCII | 4236 |
| ASTER | 4114 |
| BSW | 7002 |
| C | 4117 |
| CKSUM | 4120 |
| CONTIN | 4006 |
| CRLF | 4142 |
| F | 4054 |
| FINIS | 4251 |
| FLAG | 4055 |
| FLD | 4025 |
| K | 4107 |
| K100 | 4121 |
| K260 | 4021 |
| K300 | 4057 |
| K7 | 4060 |
| K77 | 4113 |
| LF | 4112 |
| MQA | 7501 |
| MQL | 7421 |
| MRBT | 4302 |
| M11 | 4303 |
| M4 | 4133 |
| NEXT | 4011 |
| NORMAL | 4224 |
| NO100 | 4306 |
| NO77 | 4305 |
| OCTP | 4151 |
| OKAY | 4041 |
| PFINIS | 4116 |
| PREV | 4056 |
| PROUTI | 4061 |
| QUEST | 4062 |
| QUESTN | 4307 |
| RBT | 4304 |
| RETRN | 4150 |
| ROTATE | 4161 |
| ROUTIN | 4200 |
| SPACE | 4132 |
| SPC4 | 4122 |
| SPF | 6040 |
| START | 4005 |
| TEMP | 4310 |
| TRAILR | 4063 |
| TYPE | 4134 |

/PATCH TO BINREAD FOR PDP-8/I, -8/L, ETC.

*4001

BSW=JMS I 4175

MQA=TAD 4176

SQL=DCA 4176

| | | | |
|------|------|-------|------------|
| 4001 | 6046 | | TLS |
| | | *4007 | |
| 4007 | 4775 | | BSW |
| 4010 | 3376 | | SQL |
| | | *4013 | |
| 4013 | 1376 | | MQA |
| | | *4025 | |
| 4025 | 3376 | | SQL |
| 4026 | 1376 | | MQA |
| | | *4032 | |
| 4032 | 1376 | | MQA |
| | | *4045 | |
| 4045 | 1376 | | MQA |
| | | *4100 | |
| 4100 | 3376 | | SQL |
| | | *4103 | |
| 4103 | 1376 | | MQA |
| | | *4106 | |
| 4106 | 1376 | | MQA |
| | | *4110 | |
| 4110 | 4775 | | BSW |
| 4111 | 3376 | | SQL |
| | | *4152 | |
| 4152 | 3376 | | SQL |
| | | *4157 | |
| 4157 | 1376 | | MQA, |
| | | *4163 | |
| 4163 | 3376 | | SQL |
| 4164 | 1376 | | MQA |
| | | *4170 | |
| 4170 | 1376 | | MQA |
| | | *4175 | |
| 4175 | 4311 | | BYTE |
| | | *4252 | |
| 4252 | 5316 | | JMP R6R |
| | | *4311 | |
| 4311 | 0000 | BYTE, | 0 |
| 4312 | 7106 | | CLL RTL |
| 4313 | 7006 | | RTL |
| 4314 | 7006 | | RTL |
| 4315 | 5711 | | JMP I BYTE |
| 4316 | 7112 | R6R, | CLL RTR |
| 4317 | 7012 | | RTR |
| 4320 | 7012 | | RTR |
| 4321 | 5253 | | JMP 4253 |

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|------|------|
| BSW | 4775 |
| BYTE | 4311 |
| MQA | 1376 |
| SQL | 3376 |
| R6R | 4316 |